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EFFECT OF CHEMICALS USED IN AGRICULTURE ON FAUNA

REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING LETTER TO VORONOVA WITH COPY  
TO KAZAKOV:

AUGUST 14, 1978 02.03-41

DR. L. D. VORONOVA  
CENTRAL LABORATORY FOR PRESERVATION OF NATURE  
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DEAR DR. VORONOVA:

WE RECEIVED MOST OF THE PUBLICATIONS YOU SENT AFTER OUR DELE-  
GATION VISITED THE SOVIET UNION LAST YEAR. ALTHOUGH SOME  
PACKAGES APPARENTLY CAME OPEN IN THE MAIL, I BELIEVE WE RE-  
CEIVED AT LEAST ONE COPY OF EACH PUBLICATION.

AT THE SIXTH MEETING OF THE US-USSR JOINT COMMITTEE ON COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, IT WAS AGREED THAT A DELEGATION OF THREE SOVIET SCIENTISTS WOULD VISIT THE UNITED STATES IN THE FOURTH QUARTER OF 1978 AS PART OF PROJECT 02.03-41.

WE WILL NEED TO KNOW WELL IN ADVANCE OF THE UPCOMING VISIT THE NAMES OF MEMBERS OF THE SOVIET DELEGATION, THEIR SPECIALIZED FIELDS, PROPOSED DATES FOR THE VISIT (THERE MAY BE CONFLICTS WITH OUR OWN SCHEDULES, SO WE REQUEST THAT YOU PROVIDE A PROPOSED DATE AND AN ALTERNATE DATE), AND PROPOSED PLACES TO BE VISITED DURING THEIR STAY IN THE US. WE WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING THIS INFORMATION FROM YOU AS SOON AS POSSIBLE.

UNDER SEPARATE COVER, I HAVE SENT TO YOU TWO SETS OF REPRINTS OF PAPERS FROM OUR ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION RESEARCH PROGRAM THAT HAVE BEEN PUBLISHED IN 1977 AND 1978. ONE SET OF REPRINTS IS FOR YOU, THE OTHER IS INTENDED FOR DR. FEDORENKO. WE ALSO ARE SENDING YOU COPIES OF VARIOUS PUBLICATIONS THAT WERE REQUESTED OF OUR DELEGATION BY VARIOUS SCIENTISTS AT THE INSTITUTES THAT OUR SPECIALISTS VISITED. I HOPE YOU CAN FORWARD THESE TO THE DESIGNATED INDIVIDUALS.

WE ARE LOOKING FORWARD TO YOUR VISIT AND TO THE OPPORTUNITY IT WILL GIVE US TO PURSUE THE OBJECTIVES OF THE PROJECT.

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SINCERELY YOURS,

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DIRECTOR, PATUXENT WILDLIFE RESEARCH CENTER  
LAUREL, MARYLAND CHRISTOPHER

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